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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Roy A. Gravel et al.	Art Unit:	1632
Serial No.:	09/487,841	Examiner:	Shin-Lin Chen
Filed:	January 19, 2000	Customer No.:	21559
Title:	HUMAN METHIONINE SYNTHASE REDUCTASE: CLONING, AND METHODS FOR EVALUATING RISK OF, PREVENTING, OR TREATING NEURAL TUBE DEFECTS, CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE, CANCER, AND DOWN'S SYNDROME		

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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND  
INTERFERENCES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.191

Applicants respectfully appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated July 2, 2004, in which the Office finally rejected claims 6-9, 11, 13, 14, 21, 35-39, 42-44, and 50-54 of the above-captioned patent application.

Enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is a Petition to extend the period for

replying to the final rejection for one month, to and including November 2, 2004.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$170.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) for this Notice of Appeal. If there are any additional charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

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